

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

CASE NO. 3:20-cv-07811-RS

Plaintiffs,

VS.

APPROXIMATELY 69,370 BITCOIN (BTC), BITCOIN GOLD (BTG), BITCOIN SV (BSV); and BITCOIN CASH (BCH)

**APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION OF
ATTORNEY PRO HAC VICE
(CIVIL LOCAL RULE 11-3)**

Defendants.

I, Daniel Fisher Kerns, an active member in good standing of the bar of the New York , hereby respectfully apply for admission to practice *pro hac vice* in the Northern District of California representing: Nobuaki Kobayashi, in his capacity as the Civil Rehabilitation Trustee and Foreign Representative of MtGox Co, Ltd., a/k/a MtGox KK in the above-entitled action. My local co-counsel is Stephen R. Cook, an attorney who is a member of the bar of this Court in good standing and who maintains an office within the State of California.

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I am an active member in good standing of a United States Court or of the highest court of another State or the District of Columbia, as indicated above; my bar is 5692926.

A true and correct copy of a certificate of good standing or equivalent official document from said bar attached to this application.

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1 I agree to familiarize myself with, and abide by, the Local Rules of this Court, especially
2 the Standards of Professional Conduct for attorneys and the Alternative Dispute Resolution Local
3 Rules.

4 *I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.*

5 Dated: Daniel Fisher Kerns
6 APPLICANT

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**ORDER GRANTING APPLICATION
FOR ADMISSION OF ATTORNEY PRO HAC VICE**

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT the application of Daniel Fisher Kerns is granted, subject to the terms and conditions of Civil L.R. 11-3. All papers filed by the attorney must indicate appearance *pro hac vice*. Service of papers upon, and communication with, local co-counsel designated in the application will constitute notice to the party.

3 | Dated:

UNITED STATES DISTRICT/MAGISTRATE JUDGE



*Appellate Division of the Supreme Court
of the State of New York
First Judicial Department*

I, Susanna M. Rojas, Clerk of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial Department, do hereby certify that

Daniel Fisher Kerns

was duly licensed and admitted to practice as an Attorney and Counselor at Law in all the courts of this State on March 18, 2019, has duly taken and subscribed the oath of office prescribed by law, has been enrolled in the Roll of Attorneys and Counselors at Law on file in this office, is duly registered with the Administration Office of the Courts, and according to the records of this Court is currently in good standing as an Attorney and Counselor-at-Law.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand in the City of New York on March 3, 2021.



Susanna M. Rojas

Clerk of the Court



Supreme Court of the State of New York
Appellate Division, First Department

ROLANDO T. ACOSTA
PRESIDING JUSTICE

SUSANNA MOLINA ROJAS
CLERK OF THE COURT

MARGARET SOWAH
DEPUTY CLERK OF THE COURT

To Whom It May Concern

An attorney admitted to practice by this Court may request a certificate of good standing, which is the only official document this Court issues certifying to an attorney's admission and good standing.

An attorney's registration status, date of admission and disciplinary history may be viewed through the attorney search feature on [the website of the Unified Court System](#).

New York State does not register attorneys as active or inactive.

An attorney may request a disciplinary history letter from the [Attorney Grievance Committee of the First Judicial Department](#).

Bar examination history is available from the [New York State Board of Law Examiners](#).

Instructions, forms and links are available on [this Court's website](#).

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Susanna M. Rojas".

Susanna Rojas
Clerk of the Court

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